

CIRCULATION OVER A QUARTER OF A MILLION A DAY

THE WEATHER.
For Boston and vicinity:
Friday: Fair to-night and
Thursday: light westerly
winds.
High Water: 4:33 a.
m., 4:50 p. m.

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COL. BILL GREENE COMING WITH HIS 3-NOTCHED GUN!

WHEN BILL GREENE HITS THE TRAIL.

By J. Frank Davis.
"There's trouble coming on the street!"
"There's something going to drop!"

The news is whispered far and wide,
In every backer's shop.

New tactics in the frenzied game.
They're tired of throwing mud.

And Colonel Bill from Murray Hill
Is out for Lawson's blood.

He's got three notches on his gun; he
Means to make them four.

He's sent out word to Smiling Tom
He's giving for his gun.

Let every fellow duck his head and in
His cellar crawl.

They'll find it quite a different fight
When Bill Greene hits the trail.

When Smiling Tom goes forth to war
His weapons, plainly seen.

Are charged with deadly prairie's
Luk in every magazine.

They're copper-barreled, double-
tongued, said to throw a mile.

And as he shoots at rich gamblers he
Always wears a smile.

His barrels have an open mouth, and
When he goes for game.

They scatter shot so plentifully he
Doesn't have to aim.

But this will change and we shall hear
A very different tale.

It is no joke for peaceful folk when
Bill Greene hits the trail.

Greene sent him word the other day
"I was signed but was not sealed."

And every man could read. It said,
"I'm coming, Tom. Get loaded!"

He started for the railroad trains and
Left his friends unwilling.

But falling snow (an inch or so) de-
layed him and the killing.

But though so many miles apart, too
Great a way for walking.

There's nothing in this circumstance
To keep the pair from talking.

They called each other vicious names
With very great detail.

But now we'll sight some real fight;
But Greene has hit the trail.

OPEN LETTER
FROM
COL. BILL
GREENE

STOCKS ARE
STRONG; ALL
GAIN TO-DAY

Amalgamated Up to 66 1/4;
Greene Consolidated Goes
Up 13 3/4 Points.

Stocks were strong today. The Wall
Street had made an irregular opening, then
settled, and under the lead of Amalgamated
and Greene Consolidated, which had both
advanced 1 1/2, the market was strong.

Amalgamated advanced 1 1/2, to 66 1/4, and
Greene Consolidated advanced 13 3/4, to 134.

Other stocks were strong, and the
market was strong.

Princess Louise's
Photograph Barred

BRESEN, Dec. 14.—The Boston Gar-
ment has prohibited the exhibition of
pictures or photographs of the former
queen Princess Louise, the divorced wife
of the present king, who died with his
queen.

Several Lives Sacrificed to Flames at Minneapolis.
IN \$1,500,000 FIRE

Important Business District of
Minnesota City Is Swept
by Flames.

Valiant Work by Fire Depart-
ment Prevents Horror Like
That of Baltimore.

By Boston American Special Wire.
MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 14.—Three
persons are known to have perished, with
the probability that others have lost their
lives, in the conflagration that raged early
today in the business district of this city.

While the property loss was at first believed
to amount up to between \$5,000,000 and \$6,
\$1,000,000, it is now believed that it will be
from \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000.

Only by the combined efforts of the fire
departments of Minneapolis and St. Paul
and the favorable location of modern fire-
proof buildings was the city saved from the
horror of a fire like those of Chicago, Bos-
ton and Baltimore.

An important business section of the city
burned. For five hours the fire raged
beyond human control, it started at mid-
night, and it was after 2 o'clock before the
spread of the flames was checked and their
unsubstantial nature showed that they were
contained on 3d Floor, 3d Column.

TRAIN OVERTURNS AND ROLLS DOWN EM-
BANKMENT NEAR WOODVILLE, R. I.

Special to the Boston American.
PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 14.—Half a
score of persons were badly shaken up,
several being seriously hurt, in an acci-
dent on the Wood River branch of the
Hop Valley Railroad today, between Co-
nnecticut and Woodville.

A combination passenger and baggage
car, attached to an engine, due to Providence
shortly after 9 o'clock, left the main
line near Woodville, overturning and rolling
down an embankment. The car fortunately
broke its coupling with the engine train,
and the locomotive did not leave the
rails.

Among the more seriously hurt were:
THOMAS H. BARBER, lately candidate
for Representative from Rhode Island, head
badly cut.

JOHN McWEN, a collector, of Providence,
head cut and right hand and arm
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PROFESSOR CHADWICK GREETED BY CROWDS IN CLEVELAND

TAKE STAND

Hearing on Petition Will Then Go Over Until After the Holidays, ON CAPITALIZATION FRIDAY

Professor E. W. Chadwick, the famous expert, as noted in the BOSTON AMERICAN to investigate and report on the conditions of the making of the Boston, will arrive before the Massachusetts Board of Gas and Electric Light Commissioners at the State House tomorrow, in the evening on the BOSTON AMERICAN's petition for the gas company and will continue his testimony as to the conditions that he has found in the course of the week here.

The hearing will not last longer than it has for the reason that the petition for the gas company, which is a very important factor in the gas company, is done to continue. This has been the case in the past, and it is to be continued in the future. The hearing will be held on Friday, December 17th, at 10 o'clock in the morning. The hearing will be held in the State House, Room 100, on the second floor. The hearing will be held in the State House, Room 100, on the second floor. The hearing will be held in the State House, Room 100, on the second floor.

Hearing After Holidays. It has been decided by the State Commission that the hearing on the petition for the gas company will be held on Friday, December 17th, at 10 o'clock in the morning. The hearing will be held in the State House, Room 100, on the second floor. The hearing will be held in the State House, Room 100, on the second floor.

Appraised Street Paving. It has also been brought out in the testimony of this expert that he has estimated the value of the paving in the streets of the city at \$1,000,000. This is a very large sum of money, and it is a very important factor in the gas company. The hearing will be held on Friday, December 17th, at 10 o'clock in the morning. The hearing will be held in the State House, Room 100, on the second floor.

Will Tell All, With Names, Says Mrs. Chadwick. NEW YORK, Dec. 14. Mrs. Chadwick, who is the wife of the famous expert, has been asked to testify in the hearing on the petition for the gas company. She has agreed to do so, and she will testify to all that she knows, with names. The hearing will be held on Friday, December 17th, at 10 o'clock in the morning. The hearing will be held in the State House, Room 100, on the second floor.

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WILL TELL ALL

She Refuses to Talk About Carnegie's Connection with the Case.

STATEMENT COMING LATER

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All Gave Remorse. On the way here, the woman was closely guarded by several men. She was asked to testify in the hearing on the petition for the gas company. She has agreed to do so, and she will testify to all that she knows, with names. The hearing will be held on Friday, December 17th, at 10 o'clock in the morning. The hearing will be held in the State House, Room 100, on the second floor.

Search for Jewels. United States officials have been asked to search for jewels that were stolen from Mrs. Chadwick. The jewels were stolen from her in Cleveland, Ohio. The hearing will be held on Friday, December 17th, at 10 o'clock in the morning. The hearing will be held in the State House, Room 100, on the second floor.

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\$28,000,000 "Queen of Finance," Pen Picture of Mrs. C. L. Chadwick

The full figure of the woman, resting in unconvulsed contentment and utter relaxation in the stout chair, suggested the picture of an untroubled but luxuriously dressed country dweller, alert to defend the position which in her heart she knew she had no equal in the qualifications to maintain.

A heavy gold band almost filled the space between knuckle and joint on the third finger of her left hand. While she was talking she prodded her cheek with the index finger. With her right hand she plucked at the folds of her waist, heaving with glad breath and thick interweavings of frequent velvet.

Every line of the heavy figure seemed to be dark a blue, and such as the heavy brows that most persons would be deceived in calling them black, relieved the face from positive stolidity. The cheek bones are prominent and the cheeks sunken. There is just a touch of color in the hollow skin which hangs loosely at the firm jaws and beneath the heavy chin. The mouth is large, but contracted, and when the lips part, evened-off yellowish teeth are disclosed.

Chadwick is somewhat afflicted with deafness, and to miss nothing that was going on about her, she had to be told this and that, and watched intently for a move that suggested action. Completely in keeping with face and figure is her iron-gray hair, which is combed straight down the middle of the head, and is a study in the art of the hairdresser. Her hair is combed straight down the middle of the head, and is a study in the art of the hairdresser.

Thomas W. Lawton. "Your wire that you will be at my State Street office at 3:30 p. m. today received. If you seem anxious to do your business in public, and as my office is for other purposes than your long-suffering, I will move to the time named in State Street, in front of the Old State House, as I have had sufficient of your long blarney. I hereby notify you I will do all the denouncing that will be done."

Greene en Route, Armed. These telegrams follow the definite announcement to dispatches to the BOSTON AMERICAN from New York that Chadwick, believed to be armed with his revolver, had been seen in the city. The hearing will be held on Friday, December 17th, at 10 o'clock in the morning. The hearing will be held in the State House, Room 100, on the second floor.

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Big Man Offered Bail. "Fishes had been offered to me by one of the most prominent men in Cleveland," said Mrs. Chadwick. The hearing will be held on Friday, December 17th, at 10 o'clock in the morning. The hearing will be held in the State House, Room 100, on the second floor.

Tribute to Moulton in Customs Case. A high tribute to the memory of the late Moulton was paid by the hearing on the petition for the gas company. The hearing will be held on Friday, December 17th, at 10 o'clock in the morning. The hearing will be held in the State House, Room 100, on the second floor.

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TRADE BODIES ASK PASSAGE OF HEARST BILL

Latest Indorsement That of Hyde Park, at Enthusiastic Meeting.

FOR EQUALITY OF RATES. All over New England boards of Trade and other organizations and associations of the trade are adopting resolutions to urge the passage of the Hearst bill in Congress by Representative Will Rankin of Ohio.

Every member of the organization expressed his view in favor of the bill, and the meeting closed with a vote of 100 to 0 in favor of the bill. The hearing will be held on Friday, December 17th, at 10 o'clock in the morning. The hearing will be held in the State House, Room 100, on the second floor.

DAIRYMEN OF THE GRANITE STATE FOR INTERSTATE BILL. Special to the Boston American. LACONIA, N. H., Dec. 14. The directors of the Granite State Dairymen's Association, having a membership of about 1,000, have adopted resolutions to urge the passage of the interstate bill in Congress by Representative Will Rankin of Ohio.

DAISH REPORTS THE MIDDLE WEST FOR THE HEART BILL. By Boston American's London Wire. WASHINGTON, Dec. 14. Mr. J. M. Daish, general manager for the National Hay Association, having a membership of about 1,000, have adopted resolutions to urge the passage of the interstate bill in Congress by Representative Will Rankin of Ohio.

"POISON IN MY COFFEE." "To Wall Street," The Financial Times does have welcomed it, and they are going to do things. The hearing will be held on Friday, December 17th, at 10 o'clock in the morning. The hearing will be held in the State House, Room 100, on the second floor.

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HEARST NEW YORK HAS INJUNCTION TO STAND

MADE PERMANENT BY COURT, IT SAVES CITY FROM HANDS OF THE TRUST.

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Postmaster of Lynn Dying. It is a sad story that the postmaster of Lynn is dying. The hearing will be held on Friday, December 17th, at 10 o'clock in the morning. The hearing will be held in the State House, Room 100, on the second floor.

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WIFE OF MORMON ELDER TELLS OF HER HUSBAND'S PLURAL MARRIAGE DESPITE LAW

George Reynolds, superintendent of the Mormon Church Sunday school, gave testimony that—

Mormon women have married dead men.
Mormon women are divorced from dead men.

REED SMOOT.



TESTIFIES AT SENATE HEARING THAT HE ESPOUSED HIS BROTHER'S FIANCEE.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—With tears streaming down her face, Mrs. Fred Ellis, former wife of Abraham Cannon, an apostle of the Mormon Church, now divorced, told the Senate Committee at the Senate hearing today of the plural marriage of her husband to Miss Lillian Hamilton, after the issuance of the manifesto prohibiting polygamy and against her protest.

George Reynolds was the first witness at the morning session, but he was recalled merely to make an immaterial correction to his former testimony.

Mrs. Ellis was then sworn. She said that she resided at Salt Lake City and was the wife of Abraham Cannon, her cousin, whom she married in 1878. The latter, an apostle, espoused Lillian Hamilton in the month prior to July 2, 1890, after the manifesto prohibiting polygamy was issued to the world, when it was pronounced that the practice was no longer to be maintained.

"Did he give as his reason that Lillian Hamilton had been engaged to a certain person, then deceased?" asked Attorney Taylor.

"Yes, sir," was the reply. "Did you reply to him?"

"Would be David's wife?"

"Yes, sir. I told him I did not think he could marry her, he said he would, but outside of the State. He said that since he would be David's wife for time and eternity, I saw him the evening he left, and

told him that if he married her my conscience would not permit me to live with him. I never saw him again, but after saying that Miss Hamilton was going with him."

At this period the witness turned into tears. She stated that her husband returned from the city very ill and was brought to her home. The Hamilton woman was at her home from there to their former home in Utah. The latter asked witnesses for money for the plural marriage, and said to her: "I think I killed him," Mrs. Ellis added.

Mrs. Ellis had no knowledge of who performed the marriage. She stated that it was Joseph F. Smith, president of the church, who performed it. She said she went away with them. She had no talk with Lillian Hamilton since then. The witness declined to having these questions, each of whom had but one wife.

Opposed Marriage as Wrong.

In cross-examination she stated that she opposed the Cannon-Hamilton marriage because she believed that it should not be. She then asked Joseph F. Smith about it in an impartial way and he said: "I don't know, but I don't think it is a very good thing."

Cannon, who, she said, was a very old and experienced person, told her on his return that he had put in his head and chest the laws of the State and Church, and it was his duty to obey them.

James H. Smith, the brother, who was formerly a member of the church, said that the law was so dramatic, was recalled to the stand.

FLOOD ALARMS PEOPLE IN NEW YORK SUBWAY

Broken Water Main Blocks Traffic for Several Hours To-day.

By Boston American Leased Wire. NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—The mysterious breaking of a water main which runs parallel with the underground railroad at Fifty-sixth street and Broadway caused a flood of water into the subway at Fifty-sixth street early today. The without excitement among the employees followed. Trains were blocked, the electrical system was put out of order, the flooded had a good deal of water over it at one time for five blocks, and passengers who saw them were pointed in by a flood of water which was rising higher because excited.

Hurried calls were sent to the operating department of the company and many several gangs of workmen were on their way. They then went over pumps, but as fast as they worked the water from the bottom rose toward its faster.

Becoming more alarmed an appeal was made to the police for assistance. Sergeant Hines and Sargent at police headquarters were reached by the telephone, but they said they could do nothing but notify the water department, which they did. Then the International Company called on the fire department and asked that dynamite be sent. The department refused its aid.

A wreaching company was notified about 12 o'clock, which on a last extremity, sent up big pumps, which soon did the work of water.

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WOMAN BEATEN DOWN, ROBBED BY A FOOTPAD

Police Baffled by Evening Outrage in the Back Bay.

Although severely injured, Mrs. Edward E. Stevenson of No. 110 Huntington avenue, the latest victim of footpads, will recover, it was stated at the City Hospital today. After an all night search for her assailant, the police were compelled to admit defeat and will wait until Mrs. Stevenson recovers sufficiently to tell the story of the assault and robbery.

Mrs. Stevenson, whose husband is traveling salesman for a State street firm, left her home shortly after 8 o'clock last night to visit Mrs. Williams at No. 270 Huntington street.

At 9 o'clock she was found unconscious and bleeding from wounds in the head, arms, chest, and back, lying on the sidewalk in front of her home. She was taken to the City Hospital, where she was placed in a ward. A colored man was her assailant, and his foot was found beside her and was removed.

"Colored—club—money—went that way," Mrs. Stevenson was overheard to utter in a drug store, where all efforts to revive her failed, and she was taken to the City Hospital, where she was placed in a ward. A colored man was her assailant, and his foot was found beside her and was removed.

MRS. FAIRBANKS IS HERE TODAY

Mrs. Charles Warren Fairbanks, wife of the Vice-President-elect, and president of the Daughters of the American Revolution, was delayed by the storm and did not arrive to open the D. A. R. bazaar in Copley Hall. She will arrive today, however, and spend the day here.

Among the speakers who attended the opening were Mrs. Donald McLean, a candidate to succeed Mrs. Fairbanks as president; Mrs. Charles H. Stanley, of the State report, and the Rev. Edward A. Horton.

RUSSIAN GIRL

Parents Gone.

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Special to the Boston American. WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 14.—Some 11,000 children of the mine workers employed by Coxe Brothers & Company are to be made happy with Christmas presents from Mrs. Rebecca Coxe, widow of Richard B. Coxe, who was the head of the big coal producer. Mrs. Coxe is extremely wealthy and her chief delight is in looking after the children of the miners. Each of the children will on Christmas receive a gift and there will also be special Christmas services for them.

GOOD SPEAKERS FOR CARPENTERS MEETING

The speakers at the mass meeting of carpenters to be held in Union Hall, Brookline, tonight, will include Edward Atkinson, Rev. John Thomas of the Harvard Divinity School, and Rev. William Brewster. Porter will speak in place of William Phillips, who will be unable to be present.

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TIMMY DISPLAYS SIGNS OF NERVOUSNESS BY BRUSHING HIS HAIR BACK



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It is not really necessary to have troubles in order to enjoy "Pur, Pur, Post," but if you have troubles, it will help you out immensely. It is one of the



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swiftest shows that ever brewed Nature's east wind. There is incessant movement, a constant whirl of life and ideas and color and sound. The music is a constant accompaniment. When you get both of the latter at once, for most of the songs are comedy songs. There is always something doing, and the music is the curtain that rises in no let-up in the succession of things handed out across the footlights. There is no sense of overfeeding imposed upon you, however.

There is just enough of what there is, and what there is is light and frothy. The songs are not too long, and the music is a fine entertainment. There is no tax imposed upon the imagination or upon the intellect. The songs are not too long, and they convey a moral lesson, so there is nothing for you to dodge. You may go to the songs and find a little more than you want, and to this end all the songs will be asked you but that you enjoy them, and to this end all the songs will be asked you but that you enjoy them, and to this end all the songs will be asked you but that you enjoy them.

It is all a deep and dark conspiracy.

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OUT OF DANGER.

All the twelve freshmen who were severely injured and narrowly escaped death in the Webster Hall fire in East Boston are reported out of danger today. With the exception of Lieutenant Leaky, captain of the Sealer, Harlow's William Jackson, eighteen, and Houseman Warren Brown, eighteen, all the men who were back at home, on Friday.

Although they were unconscious when found and presented a terrible appearance, owing to cuts and bruises and other injuries, for the most part they were superficial.

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The Human Body Is an Electrical Machine

That Fact Was Set Forth a Long
Time Ago in the Hearst News-
papers! Now Scientists are "Proving
It."

FROM THE FOOD THAT WE EAT, but from the electricity taken into the system through the lungs.

The food that we eat is simply intended in adult life to replace worn out material. It is like grease on the axles, paint on the wagon, new bolts or planks, as they are required.

Our food simply replaces the WORN OUT parts of our body. The work that our body does comes into the body through the lungs and is taken up by the blood.

We know how the doctors give iron to sickly children and women. Those that are intelligent among them recommend pure red wine as a stimulant BECAUSE THE CRUSHED SKIN OF THE GRAPE CONTAINS IRON, EASILY ASSIMILATED BY THE SYSTEM. But even the intelligent doctors don't know WHY they give their patients iron.

It is the iron in the red corpuscles of the blood that takes up the electricity of the air as the blood passes through the lungs.

This discovery and many others more important were made and announced many years ago by the late Albert Brisbane, talking to a people that could not understand him.

The blood, charged with vital electric forces, carries these forces to all parts of the body. And when special efficiency and power are required in any part of the system, the blood with its electric energies is concentrated there by a wonderful automatic, concerted action of the mind and nerves.

You know how the blood rushes to the head in deep thought, and to the stomach during the process of digestion.

The brain and stomach both suffer if required to work simultaneously, and both do their work badly, because each requires the body's full electric energy.

The scientific gentlemen, rather late in the day, are beginning to realize the importance of understanding the human body.

Read the following statement concerning the investigations of Dr. Atkins, who probably believes his "discoveries" to be quite original. We present the condensation of a scientific article.

That life—at any rate, human life—cannot exist without electricity seems to have been demonstrated successfully by Dr. Albert J. Atkins, a member of the staff of the California Medical College. For a long time he has been devoting himself to the investigation of the electrical phenomena of the human body, and he says that each organ has an electrical action of its own.

By a series of experiments he has now established that the centre of electrical activity is in the air chambers of the lungs. He now announces that by mechanical means he has succeeded in registering a positive and a negative electrical current in the air chambers of the lungs of a living person outside the blood stream.

Dr. Atkins expects to ascertain in the future the exact relation of electricity to the problem of life, and scientists who have watched his work believe it will be of very great benefit in the electric treatment of diseases which have been unsuccessfully treated by medicine and surgery.

When Dr. Atkins and others shall have progressed a little farther in their investigations they will learn that it is not the crude electric power of the trolley wire that is at work in the human body.

As the stomach absorbs and modifies the material world in its processes, so the lungs and the blood absorb and modify the electrical force upon which we live.

Over the door of the great Greek temple they wrote, before modern science was born, "Know Thyself." Humanity is still struggling vainly, and with feeble success, to take that advice and to know itself.

If human beings will understand that their vital force is absorbed through the nostrils and the lungs, and not through the gullet, they will have advanced somewhat on the road to self-knowledge.

If they will understand that the magnificent winds that sweep across the earth contain our vital force, that the force is not found in mince pie or mush or in the flesh of animals, they will have progressed on the road to knowledge.

If they will look intelligently at the pig, guffing down indiscriminate masses of food, heavy, stupid, filthy and vile, and then at the beautiful deer, swift, with large nostrils, living upon the twigs of trees and the clean air, they will learn something about a sensible life.

Man, destined to direct and cultivate the whole earth, is made up of all the material substances of the earth. All of the earth's products are made necessary to him in order that he may be compelled to develop them.

But these material substances simply build up the material body in INFANCY and make up for waste in MATURITY. The vital forces are electric; they have nothing to do with the material world.

No better proof of this could be demanded than the miserable, fattened, useless creature, with stomach overworked and lungs neglected.

The man who breathes a great deal of fresh air, taking as little food as may suffice him, is as far above the other kind of man as the eagle is above the worm that eats its way through the earth.

MORAL CURE IS WHAT IS NEEDED.

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN.

The institution of capital punishment is a relic of barbarism. Nothing can justify it. It is a greater crime for a state to take the life of one of its citizens than it is for a person to commit murder. The state should not be the first to shed blood.

The state does not inflict death as a punishment, but to give satisfaction to the friends of the murdered one. It reminds us of the time when some savage tribe of the past, after the death of a man, would go to the place where he was killed and there would build a pile of stones and on that pile would place the body of the murdered man.

In education lies the secret of man's salvation. Our prisons should become schools and hospitals, not the breeding places of crime and evil. The state should not be the first to shed blood.

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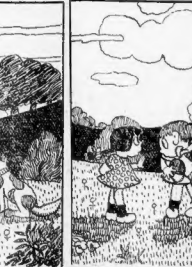
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NOW WHAT D'YE THINK OF THAT?



On the L To Sullivan Square

By Harry B. Metcalf

Of they crowd and jostle and push and shove—
There's a change room for one more—
They hang for dear life from the straps above,
They cut fancy curves on the floor;
They tumble headfirst into the crush,
They plunge and they die "for fair"
They join in a great big football rush
On the "L" to Sullivan Square.



And the banker stands with his shoulders pressed—
To those of the laborer grim;
The yellow sweat stains in a casual test
With the sales-girl next to him;
The matron be-dazzled; with bargains
And
Looks in vain for a seat to spare;
If I wasn't pined down I'd offer her mine,
On the "L" to Sullivan Square.



Dinkelspiel's Epygrams

By George V. Hobart

It was a fine son that over his own father,
Pickens says there was no place for him—
Like home—and he congratulated
A barrel of flour to a poor family with
I have a cricket with written looks that
Never sell, and yet it is to be in a
Such resulting crime as the taking of
The result? No person's life is
There is such a law, but owing to the
breakdown of all insurance in the
hours, or stop the cars. The company
argues that people would rather get home
at night to some discomfort than not get
home at all, or walk—Ed.

Little Editorials from the People

WHY WOULD CARS BE RUN TEMPORARILY?
Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:
There is a law in this city or State compelling the Boston Elevated R. R. to keep the surface cars running in winter, especially in the cold weather. On the Harvard square-day view cars a conductor refused to turn on the heat when requested to do so last Friday afternoon, about 4 p. m., saying that his orders were not to put on his car until after 7 p. m. If there is a law compelling the running of cars a large sum of money is being taken from the rights and comfort of the people.

WORKMEN:
There is such a law, but owing to the breakdown of all insurance in the hours, or stop the cars. The company argues that people would rather get home at night to some discomfort than not get home at all, or walk—Ed.

BREAKERS IN THE BOMBING LAW
Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:
Shall Mary Rogers, the Vermont woman guilty of murder, escape the penalty of capital punishment? But in reality it is a capital punishment. But in reality it is a capital punishment. But in reality it is a capital punishment.

A WELL-WISHER:
We have no right to take the law of God into our own hands. Has he not said in his great commandment "Thou shalt not kill"? Now that means every man and woman alive. Does the man that makes the strap or presses the electric button kill the woman or man in cold blood? He will if he were not getting paid for it. It is a crime to take the law into our own hands. We should build our own. So let us have no more law-breaking. F. S.

PAVING LIFE IMPROVEMENT
Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:
We all know that Mary Rogers has committed a great crime and should be punished. But why not try life imprisonment? Why not let her live to suffer for what she has done?

THE GAS CHESSEAD IS GOING STEADILY FORWARD
Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:
Long life to the BOSTON AMERICAN, and the only newspaper in Boston that is cheaper than in Boston!

THINKS MR. ROGERS DID NOT KNOW BIRTH FROM WHORE
Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:
The woman didn't know right from wrong. What she does think is that she has a woman about! FANSIE.